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MEMO ENDORSEMENT.

So ordered. Pretrial services is ordered to return the passport to Ms. Sabess or her authorized representative.

10/23/2024 SO ORDERED.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "L. Liman". Below the signature is a horizontal line, and underneath that line, the text "LEWIS J. LIMAN" and "United States District Judge" are printed in a small, sans-serif font.

LEWIS J. LIMAN
United States District Judge

RE: *United States v. Nirvani Sabess*

Case No.: 1:23-cr-00371-LJL-1

Request for an Order Releasing Defendant's Passport

Dear Judge Liman:

I write to request that Your Honor issue an order directing the United States Pretrial Services Office in the Southern District of New York (USPTSO/SDNY) to release Ms. Nirvani Sabess' passport to her or a named representative from our office.

Ms. Sabess' passport was initially surrendered to Pretrial Services during the pendency of her criminal case. See Appearance Bond, ECF No. 5 at 4. On November 20, 2023, Ms. Sabess received a sentence of two months imprisonment followed by 3 years of supervised release, which is currently being monitored in the District of New Jersey, where she resides. ECF No. 31, Judgment in a Criminal Case.

By email dated October 22, 2024, U.S. Pretrial Services Officer Vanessa Perdomo informed my office that Ms. Sabess' passport is presently in their possession. As per that office's policy, a court order is needed before Pretrial will release the passport back to her. Since this criminal matter has been concluded, there is no further need to retain it. We have communicated with the government concerning this request and have received no response yet.

Accordingly, we respectfully request that the Court issue an order directing U.S. Pretrial Services (SDNY), to release Ms. Sabess' passport to her or a named representative from our office. Thank you for your attention and consideration in this matter.

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Respectfully,

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